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INTO THE SWING OF THINGS

Canadian golfer Adam Hadwin tees off on the back nine of the new course at the Ashburn Golf Club during the Pro-Am competition Wednesday for the Web.com Tour's Nova Scotia Open. Hadwin is one of 156 golfers competing in the 72-hole event, which begins on Thursday at the new course in Windsor Junction. Story, page 16. JEFF HARPER/METRO

Arthur to be hurricane: Forecaster

Weather. Exact impact on N.S. not yet known

Environment Canada is predicting tropical storm Arthur will grow into a hurricane Thursday as it moves up the eastern coast of the United States.

Chris Fogarty of the Canadian Hurricane Centre said on Wednesday Arthur was gaining steam off the coast of Florida thanks to warmer waters, and it should move slowly northward as a hurricane until it reaches North Carolina on Friday.

At that point, Fogarty said, Arthur will merge with a cold front from the Great Lakes, creating a lot of moisture, and "that's where we have a risk of heavy rain for sure."

"It's certainly looking like a weekend event for the Maritimes," Fogarty said about the rainfall, which should start Friday evening.

"The specifics of how the wind might affect us, that's a little more uncertain at this stage."

If the hurricane does pass close enough to the province, winds around 100 km/h could start picking up Saturday afternoon, but most of the gusts will be offshore, Fogarty said.

He said "fairly small" storms like Arthur can be more intense so there's a high possibility it could become a stronger Category 2 hurricane, but the impact area would also be smaller.

Arthur should become a non-tropical low-pressure storm as it tracks over Newfoundland Sunday afternoon, Fogarty said.

The Stan Rogers Folk Festival in Canso was cancelled Wednesday due to the forecast.

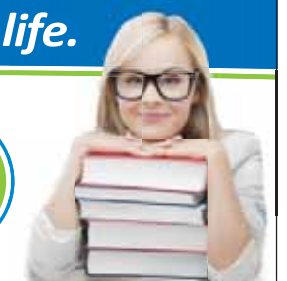
"It is impossible in these circumstances for us to guarantee public safety. That makes the decision for us," artistic director Troy Greenorn said in a statement. **HALEY RYAN/METRO**



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Moving on

From mayor's role to pest control

Former Halifax mayor Peter Kelly has a new job with a local pest-control company.

A statement from Target Pest Control issued Wednesday states that Kelly is a "new partner" in the company.

"We are very pleased to have Mr. Kelly join our team," says Target president Stephen Taylor. "His business and public-sector background, as well as his business development skills and knowledge of Halifax and Nova Scotia, will be invaluable as we look to grow our company."

Target, which acquired Borden Pet Management in March, offers pest-control services for everything from ants and bedbugs to birds and raccoons.

Kelly was elected to Bedford town council in 1985 and became mayor in 1991. After serving as HRM's councillor for Bedford after amalgamation, he became mayor in 2000 and was re-elected in 2004 and 2008.

He did not re-offer in 2012 after media coverage revealed his mishandling of a friend's estate as executor of her will. **METRO**



Peter Kelly **METRO** FILE



The 87-year-old Halifax Forum could be demolished, if a report by city staff is passed. **JEFF HARPER/METRO**

Forum is 'more than just a rink' to many

Demolition. Residents plead for preservation of 87-year-old arena



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Hundreds of residents came out to tell the Halifax Forum's board of directors that the elderly facility must be saved from demolition.

"This is not just hockey. This is for everything.... This is home," said longtime Forum user Jill Webb during a public meeting Wednesday night.

City staffers are recommending demolition in order

to build a new four-pad arena in Windsor Park.

However, chair of the Halifax Forum Community Association George Findlay told the crowd that the board has a plan to enlarge the Forum's existing rinks and add a new NHL-sized rink and 8,300-square-foot gymnasium — all for \$6 million less than the estimated cost of the new four-pad.

"This is a very pivotal moment, in my view, for the north end of Halifax," said Coun. Jennifer Watts. "We need to hang on to the things that make us who we are in the north end, which is the historic form."

The phrase "more than

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Coun. Linda Mosher urged Forum supporters to send written correspondence to the clerk's office with a request to have it distributed to all of council.

just a rink" was a common refrain among residents, who said a four-pad can't host concerts, trade shows, bingo nights, craft fairs and other sports events.

The Forum's rich history came up often, as did its ongoing importance to peninsula residents.

"Heritage is great, but

also, the future," said Heather Chamberlin of the Anchor City Rollers roller-derby squad, one of several sports organizations currently without practice space. "All the young people such as myself who are involved in the city, we need space that's community-oriented."

Watts and fellow peninsular councillors Wayne Mason and Linda Mosher oppose the demolition, prompting strategies about getting nine more votes around council.

"We all have to leave this room, we have to hit Facebook, social media," said one of the final speakers. "We've gotta flood the councillors who aren't here."

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'Things got scary.' Man allegedly punches woman after she drives him home

The RCMP say a woman and her friend did the right thing "by getting out of there quickly" when they abandoned their car in Westphal after a man who they had driven home from the Canada Day fireworks allegedly demanded money and punched one of them in the head.

Cole Harbour RCMP received a report of a robbery at a home on Taranaki Drive around 11:15 p.m. on Tuesday.

The 37-year-old victim and her friend had given a man a ride home from the fireworks show on Halifax Harbour, but police say when they dropped him off the man demanded the woman's valuables and punched her in the head twice when she refused.

Both women left the black SUV and ran to a home on Greely Court to wait for police.

"Things got scary," said RCMP spokesman Cpl. Scott MacRae. "They did the right thing by getting out of there quickly."

Quoted

"Fortunately nobody was seriously injured ... but it certainly could have been worse."

Halifax RCMP spokesman Cpl. Scott MacRae

Police say they soon found a man matching the suspect's description in the SUV on Taranaki Drive, but he was "very uncooperative, very verbally abusive" and attempted to resist the officers, MacRae said.

The man was eventually arrested and taken into custody.

MacRae said the 21-year-old man faces numerous charges including robbery, assault, uttering threats, assaulting police, resisting arrest and breach of a recognizance.

He is known to police, and was scheduled to appear in Dartmouth provincial court on Wednesday.

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Cops investigate stabbing, shooting on Canada Day



The Kiwanis Playground near the Alderney Landing Terminal, where police say a person was stabbed. JEFF HARPER/METRO

Holiday violence. Police don't think violent incidents are related



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A Halifax police spokesman said a stabbing and shooting near the Canada Day concert in Dartmouth are concerning, but believes there was no danger to the public.

Police were called to the playground behind Alderney Landing around 9:20 p.m. Tuesday where a 19-year-old man was found with two stab wounds to the abdomen.

He was taken to hospital for treatment and has since been released.

Halifax Regional Police spokesman Const. Pierre Bourdages said a 19-year-old man was arrested in the area just after the stabbing, and faces charges of assault with

a weapon and possession of a dangerous weapon.

"We don't believe it was random, but there's no reason or motive behind it," said Bourdages, who added he isn't sure how both men knew each other.

An hour later, police said officers working at Alderney Landing had an 18-year-old man brought to them with a gunshot wound in his leg. He was taken to hospital.

Bourdages said police don't know where the shooting took place because the victim is not cooperating. No charges have been laid.

"We're exploring the possibility it could be self-inflicted," Bourdages said.

He said incidents like these are "always concerning, no matter where they happen."

Since police have one suspect in custody, and the shooting investigation is progressing, "we're hoping to have a resolution sooner rather than later," Bourdages said.

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Sid's teen sister embraces our Canadian stereotypes

Taylor Crosby. Young goalie giving Americans a crash course in Canadiana as she pursues hockey dream

At 18, Taylor Crosby is a walking, talking, goal-blocking stereotype — and that's just fine by her.

Hockey is Canada's sport and Crosby a goaltender. NHL star Sidney Crosby is, for better or worse, Canada's most hyped athlete, and Crosby is his little sister. Canadians are typecast as polite and Crosby — peppering her conversations with “sorry” and “pardon me” — fits the mould perfectly.

But mock her accent and she'll mock yours right back.

“I get teased all the time,” Crosby says with a laugh, “especially being from the Maritimes. We have a different accent from the rest of Canada, apparently,” she says, a twang only slightly discernible, and the sarcasm evident on the last word.

The older she gets and the longer she lives in the United States, the more Taylor Crosby finds herself embracing — occasionally defending — Canadiana.

“When I was younger it was like, ‘whatever, I'm Canadian,’” Crosby says from her home in Cole Harbour, N.S., where she spent a brief week of her scant summer vacation in June. “Now I'm proud to say I'm Canadian and I make it a point to say I'm Canadian, not American.”

To her, Canada is hockey, politeness, and the art of dropping inadvertent “ehs” at the end of every other sentence. It is, she says, her brother's 2010 Olympics overtime goal and Tim Hortons, and, speaking particularly of the Moncton RCMP shootings, the act of coming together, whether to support grieving communities in other provinces, to cheer your way to a gold medal, or to indulge in a chocolate-glazed Timbit.

Crosby has spent the past four years educating (usually with a dose of humour) her classmates and teammates at Shattuck-St. Mary's School in Minnesota — the same place where Sidney played hockey — on the finer points of Canada, particularly the accents. And all the ways, she says, in which Canada is most definitely not “the lesser” of the two countries.

“I think just once, instead of being passive and letting



Taylor Crosby, goalie and sister of NHL star and Olympian Sidney Crosby, is shown last week in the family's Cole Harbour, N.S., home. Taylor is enrolled at Northeastern University in Boston, where she will play hockey. THE CANADIAN PRESS/FOR TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

the Americans or other countries say, ‘Oh, they're just Canadians,’ we should be proud and not the secondary country,” Crosby says.

Want to be a better Canadian? Take pride in your country, she says.

Crosby, who graduated from Shattuck in the spring, won't be returning home long-

term any time soon. She was one of 15 female goaltending prospects invited to a five-day camp by Hockey Canada last summer and has committed to Northeastern University in Boston for the fall.

She's ready for a whole new group of hockey players, including a few Canadians, and a fresh round of good-na-

tured teasing about her “ehs,” her accent and her frequent apologies.

“It's not insulting,” Crosby says, “It's kind of charming because that's Canada.”

Still, like many Canadians, she feels most patriotic while watching her brother and Team Canada play, or while playing herself — despite

sometimes losing her Canadian politeness for a moment or two in the heat of a close game.

“There's a lot of emotion behind it,” she says. “Especially when you're a Canadian hockey player because there's so much pride in it and so much passion.”

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Canadian pride

“It's a privilege living in such a friendly and nice place ... embrace it.”

18-year-old Taylor Crosby, sister of Sidney Crosby, on being proud to be Canadian

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Overwhelming majority says fracking ban needed: Report

Over 90 per cent.
Panel warns province to be cautious over hydraulic fracturing

The majority of people who offered opinions for a report on hydraulic fracturing in Nova Scotia say they want the province to ban or maintain a moratorium on the industry.

There were 238 individual submissions to an expert panel that's looking at the environmental impact of hydraulic fracturing, or fracking, in the province.

Of those, 92 per cent said they supported a moratorium or ban, while 0.5 per cent were against such prohibitions, says the discussion paper released late Tuesday.

As a result, the authors said the province should proceed slowly and carefully as

it considers whether to proceed with fracking.

"Given the known and potential environmental impacts associated with hydraulic fracturing ... a precautionary approach in Nova Scotia is prudent," states the 37-page report.

"Ongoing public consultation, interdisciplinary research and careful consideration of policies and regulations moving forward is required."

The panel gathered feedback on the issue from last October until the end of April and will use it to form the basis of a chapter in a report to be produced later this year by an independent expert panel appointed by the provincial government.

It found the most common concern for respondents was the effect fracking could have on water resources, followed by perceived risks to infrastructure and lo-

cal industries, such as farming and forestry.

The authors said despite the fact that there is limited research and literature available on the impacts of fracking, there are legitimate concerns for its potential effect on groundwater.

Some respondents said that since a significant number of residents rely on groundwater for their water supply, the resource should not be put at risk of contamination from fracking.

"I am concerned about potential contamination and overuse of public water supplies, both drinking water and agricultural irrigation water, with many Nova Scotia communities already painfully aware of their lack of sustainable potable water supplies," a family physician wrote in a submission to the panel.

The paper said there was little clear science on the effects of fracturing on well water, but states there are real risks involving gas leaks and the flowback of water that is injected into the ground and returns to the surface full of fracturing fluids and radioactive materials.

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Worried

"I am concerned about potential contamination and overuse of public water supplies, both drinking water and agricultural irrigation."

Submission from a family physician

Dartmouth

Police search for suspect in pizza robbery attempt

Police are looking for a man whom they say tried to rob a Dartmouth pizza spot on Tuesday night.

Around 10 p.m. police say a man walked into the Pizza Girls at 394 Portland St., demanded money with a knife but left with nothing.

He is described as white, in his 20s and five-foot-10. He was wearing dark track pants, a dark ball hat and a black T-shirt. **METRO**

Up in flames. Pickup rams into several cars

Halifax police are investigating a crash involving a truck that damaged several vehicles in Dartmouth.

RCMP and Halifax Regional Police were dispatched to Albrow Lake Road just after 11 p.m. Tuesday to investigate a collision. Responding officers arrived to find HRM firefighters dealing with a pickup truck in flames and the truck driver being treated by paramedics.

A release from police states that the male driver crashed the truck into several other

vehicles on a car lot, and was detained by a concerned citizen until police and paramedics arrived.

A 19-year-old man was sent to hospital with minor injuries.

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Charged

The accused faces charges that include theft of a motor vehicle. He'll appear in provincial court at a later date.



Holy grime-fighting, Batman!

Cleaners from SkyReach rappel down the IWK Health Centre dressed up as superheroes on Wednesday. The caped crusaders said they would return to clean the other side of the building on Thursday.

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Canso Causeway. Nova Scotia to take ownership of key link to Cape Breton

The federal government is transferring ownership of a vital link between mainland Nova Scotia and Cape Breton to the provincial government.

Transport Minister Lisa Raitt says Ottawa is also funding up to \$9 million for repairs to the Canso Causeway and the swing bridge.

The Nova Scotia government says the work, which includes upgrades to mechanical, electrical and structural components of the

swing bridge, will extend its life by 25 years.

"Assuming full control of the Canso Causeway is good news for the province," Geoff MacLellan, minister of transportation and infrastructure renewal, said in a statement.

"The causeway is a critical piece of infrastructure, linking Cape Breton and Newfoundland to mainland Nova Scotia," said MacLellan.

Ottawa says it will con-

tinue to own and maintain the canal and navigational locks.

The 1.5-kilometre causeway was opened by the federal government in 1955. It serves as the only land transportation link between the mainland and Cape Breton island.

It spans the Strait of Canso and is the deepest rock-filled causeway in the world at 65 metres.

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The Canso Causeway. CAPE BRETON POST

Midnight ride

Ex-president faces charges in French corruption probe

Former French president Nicolas Sarkozy's car wheeled out of the court parking lot in the dead of night Wednesday after he was charged in a corruption probe.

The former conservative party leader is accused of tapping political allies to gain intelligence on a flurry of probes linked to campaign finance. He has vigorously denied wrongdoing and planned to address the latest allegations on television Wednesday.

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Former French president Nicolas Sarkozy THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Arrests

511

In a rare scene of disorder, Hong Kong authorities cleared out hundreds of protesters who blocked part of the city's financial district early Wednesday, a high-profile reflection of rising anxiety over Beijing's tightening grip on the little enclave of incomplete democracy at the southeastern edge of Communist China. Police arrested 511 people who staged an unauthorized overnight sit-in on an avenue running through the heart of the city after a rally the day before in which tens of thousands of demonstrators marched in the streets to push for the right to elect their leader free of limits Beijing wants to impose.

83 years late

Long, loong-lost letter delivered

A letter written by a Maine school teacher in 1931 to her mother 150 miles away has finally been delivered — 83 years later.

Miriam McMichael, then 23, sent the nine-page letter from Houlton to Dollena McMichael in Pittsfield. Both women have since died. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Target-ing a 'family-friendly' environment

'Open carry.' Retailer asking shoppers to not bring firearms into its stores, even where allowed by law

Target is "respectfully" asking its customers not to bring firearms into its stores, even where the practice is allowed by law.

In a statement posted Wednesday on the retailer's corporate blog, interim CEO John Mulligan said that Target wants a "safe and inviting" atmosphere for its shoppers and employees.

"This is a complicated issue, but it boils down to a simple belief: Bringing firearms to Target creates an environment that is at odds with the family-friendly shopping and work experience we strive to create," he said.

In many states, carrying

unconcealed guns in public is legal.

Molly Snyder, a Target spokeswoman, said that Target's move is a "request and not a prohibition."

"We don't have any plans for proactive communication to guests beyond what Target leadership shared today," she added.

Target does not sell guns in its stores or on its website.

Target Corp. made the announcement as it faced pressure about its policy on the "open carry" of firearms in its stores. A group called Moms Demand Action for Gun Sense in America gathered nearly 400,000 signatures for a petition asking Target to prohibit shoppers from carrying guns into its stores.

The group has said it is responsible for getting several chains, including Chipotle, Starbucks and Jack in the Box, to make similar moves. It



In this 2013 photo, shoppers arrive at a Target store in Los Angeles. DAMIAN DOVARGANES/THE ASSOCIATED PRESS FILE

introduced the campaign after gun rights groups carrying loaded rifles frequently gathered in Target stores in Texas,

Alabama and North Carolina to demonstrate in support of "open carry" laws.

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Toronto Mayor Rob Ford in an executive committee meeting Wednesday. CHRIS SO/TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

Putting the focus on Ford

Toronto's Mayor Rob Ford returned to city hall this week after two months in rehab, pleading for a second chance. He sat down Wednesday with a handful of television networks for one-on-one interviews.

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ON DOING DRUGS

The stress of running Canada's largest city is not what drove Rob Ford to substance abuse, he said Wednesday. Ford told CBC he has been under the influence of alcohol while at city hall as mayor, but never used drugs there.

He was adamant that his professional life is not what prompted his substance abuse, saying he was born with a disease and he will die with it.

"I think people don't understand the triggers and cravings," Ford said. "Some people blame it on their job. This is a disease that was not this job."

ON HIS FITNESS FOR HOLDING OFFICE

Ford said he drank and did drugs "for years" before he was elected mayor. The drugs he used ran the gamut, he said, telling TV station CP24 that he had done mushrooms, marijuana and "everything you can think of," but not heroin.

When asked if someone with uncontrolled cravings is fit for the office of mayor, Ford insisted the job is not one of his triggers.

Ford would not commit to resigning if he relapses, saying only that he is taking it one day at a time.

"I did not drink yesterday and I haven't drank today," he said.

ON THE POLICE INVESTIGATION

Ford has vowed to no longer associate "with the criminal element that's before the courts," but said on the advice of his lawyer he still will not consent to an interview with the police. Toronto police spokesman Mark Pugash said Wednesday the criminal investigation into the mayor is ongoing.

The embattled mayor also admitted he was smoking crack cocaine just days before he left for rehab, confirming that was the substance in a pipe he was seen holding in a video image obtained by the Globe and Mail.

ON MAKING RACIST, HOMOPHOBIC SLURS

Ford also said the disease makes people say and do things they otherwise wouldn't do and he offered a blanket apology for using ethnic slurs and making reportedly homophobic remarks.

"Everything I said while I was using — I offended a lot of people and all I can do is apologize and say sorry," Ford told CP24 when asked if he would apologize to Toronto's "diverse community."

"I cannot change the past and I think that covers everything that you just mentioned."

Canadian government looking to unload Florida mansion

The federal government is putting a multimillion-dollar Miami mansion back on the market five years after buying it for \$1.9 million.

The Department of Foreign Affairs is looking for a Miami real estate agent to sell the opu-

lent property, which has served as the Canadian government's official residence since 2009.

An unofficial estimate on real estate website Zillow.com puts the value of the 7,466-square-foot property at almost \$5.5 million.

The sale comes as the department looks to scale back on its international properties to generate \$80 million in revenues over the coming years — an initiative announced as part of Ottawa's 2012 budget.

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War crimes

Memo suggests U.S. had no basis to charge Khadr

A previously secret memo on CIA involvement in drone killings is casting new doubt on whether the American government had any legal basis to prosecute Canada's Omar Khadr for war crimes.

In fact, Khadr's lawyers argue in new filings to the U.S. Court of Military Commission Review, the document by the Department of Justice emphatically rejects any such legal foundation, and say his convictions at Guantanamo Bay should be set aside immediately.

In the detailed opinion several months before Khadr pleaded guilty before a military commission, the office of legal counsel in the Department of Justice concluded war criminality turns on a person's actions, not on factors such as whether the person is part of an army or wears a uniform.

"That completely blows away one of the major prongs of the government's theory in all these Guantanamo cases," Sam Morison, Khadr's lawyer, said Wednesday.

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Prairies flood victims trying to keep calm and carry on

Murray Blakwill carries a cooler of food he recovered from his parents' flooded home in Springside, Sask., Wednesday. Nearly 90 communities in Saskatchewan and Manitoba have declared emergencies because of flooding and more than 500 people have been forced to leave their homes. LIAM RICHARDS/THE CANADIAN PRESS

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Porter must pay in cash when it bumps passengers: Agency

Forced to refine system.

Carrier ordered to pay passengers cold, hard cash, not \$500 vouchers for future travel, when passengers are bumped

The Canadian Transportation Agency has ordered Porter Airlines to pay cash to passengers bumped from domestic flights.

The regulator has given the carrier, which operates turboprops primarily from Toronto City Centre Airport, until July 8 to detail the actual compensation.

Porter currently doesn't have a compensation policy for passengers bumped due to overbooking from flights

Air Canada must also pay

Air Canada was previously ordered to pay cash compensation to bumped passengers on domestic flights.

- It pays between \$200 to \$800 in cash, depending on the length of the delay, for flights within Canada and from Canada to the U.S. It pays up to \$650 and \$1,300 for delays involving flights from the U.S. to Canada.

within Canada, but has provided a \$500 voucher for future travel as a "goodwill gesture."

Responding to a complaint

from air passenger rights activist Gabor Lukacs, the agency found Porter's current policy was "unreasonable."

It also ordered the airline to either rebook passengers on Porter or other airlines or provide a free flight back to the point of origin if the bumped passengers no longer wants to continue their travel.

The CTA previously ordered Porter to compensate bumped passengers traveling from Canada to the United States. In that case, Porter must pay twice the total one-way fare or up to \$650 if passengers arrive at their destination one to four hours later than scheduled, and four times the fare or up to \$1,300 if they're more than four hours late.

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LiLo claims maker of Grand Theft Auto stole ... her image

Lindsay Lohan is suing the makers of the Grand Theft Auto video games. The actress says the latest installment used her image and created a character based on her without her permission.

Lohan's lawsuit was filed Wednesday in a Manhattan court.

Grand Theft Auto V game maker Take-Two Interactive Software Inc. and subsidiary Rockstar Games declined to

comment.

Grand Theft Auto V was released in September. Sales topped \$800 million US on its first day.

Lohan's lawsuit says a character named Lacey Jonas is an "unequivocal" reference to the Mean Girls and Freaky Friday star.

The suit also says Lohan's image, voice and styles from her clothing line are depicted.

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Lindsay Lohan
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Ceili is hoping to squeeze back into her dog sweater

Staff worker Kelli Quinones walks golden retriever Ceili on a treadmill at the Morris Animal Inn in Morristown, N.J., in June. For Ceili, it was easy to fatten up when living with a boy who pushed tasty morsels over the edge of his high chair. The extra weight led Eileen Bowers of Bedminster, N.J., to sign up the more-than 100-pound pooch for a five-day fitness camp last month at Morris Animal Inn. The camp offers swimming, nature hikes, treadmill trots, facials, massages and healthy treats like organic granola, string beans and carrots. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Report. Devices on 'standby' hog energy

Billions of electronic devices around the world that are constantly on "standby" are wasting enough electricity each year to power 80 per cent of Canada's needs, says a new report.

And it's only going to get worse, says the International Energy Agency, unless we do something about it.

The report says that demands of businesses and consumers to be connected full-time comes at a price.

Devices like refrigerators and coffee makers are now being made with connections to the Internet — which means they always have to be powered up to receive instructions.

Meanwhile, televisions and computers are always in "standby" mode so they can be flicked on instantly.

"In many such devices, standby is a misnomer," says the report. "It suggests the device has gone to sleep and is almost off." TORSTAR NEWS SERVICE

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GOING BACK TO NOWHERE

I come from nowhere. More specifically, I come from New Brunswick.

I'm taking my girlfriend there in a couple of weeks and she thinks I'm underselling my home province — maybe because I keep saying the three best things are my friends, my family and edible seaweed, not necessarily in that order.

But it's a tricky thing, explaining New Brunswick. I'm finding describing my home province a bit like trying to explain depth to a two-dimensional life form or purple to a blind person. New Brunswick has its pros and cons but to most of the country it's a cipher, an empty space. If it were eliminated from the map by nuclear warfare, all you'd say when you got out of your car is that the drive to Nova Scotia is faster than you remember.



HE SAYS
John Mazerolle
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Think about it. Can you name the best hockey player to come out of New Brunswick? No? In Canada, doesn't that mean it might as well not be there? And what about the best musician from N.B.? The best actor? The most striking landmark? The most famous building? What you like the most? The least? Do you even know what the old Brunswick is?

You might have very positive views about Toronto or Saskatchewan, or you might wish Godzilla would visit those places. But you probably have some idea what it is you are loving or hating.

What springs to mind when you think of New Brunswick? It's like a zen koan, designed to free your mind of conscious thought. It's not a good thing or a bad thing. It's just there. Or not. New Brunswick, the new play by Samuel Beckett.

It's been a problem for people in New Brunswick too, as can be

seen in years of failed advertising slogans so vague as to be meaningless: "Wow!" was one. No, really. It was just "New Brunswick: Wow!" Another was "Be ... In This Place," which really does seem like a zen koan.

And when New Brunswickers aren't being vague, they're trying too darn hard. The province's biggest boosters often seem like people striking up the band so you won't notice the ship is sinking. My hometown, Saint John, has taken to calling itself Renaissance City since I left, which is only accurate in that Saint John often leaves you wondering if you've returned to the 16th century.

Keep in mind, I like Being ... In That Place. It's just no obvious consensus has been reached on what New Brunswick is or what it can be. For most of Canada, it's just nothing, but from a tourism perspective I can laud the French-English mix, whale watching, a couple of great national parks and some beautiful sunsets.

I'm not sure I could move back, but I know there's enough beauty there for me to pull my girlfriend close and whisper sweet New Brunswicks in her ear. Wow.

MILITANTS AT WORK



Iraqis who have fled recent fighting in the cities of Mosul and Tal Afar try to enter a temporary displacement camp but are blocked by Kurdish soldiers on Wednesday in Khazair, Iraq. For more images of refugee life in Iraq over the past week, scan this image with your Metro News app. ALL PHOTOS SPENCER PLATT/GETTY IMAGES

The Islamic State looks to tighten grip on land

Fresh from success in Iraq, a Sunni extremist group tried to tighten its hold Wednesday on territory in

Syria and crush pockets of resistance on land straddling the border where it has declared the foundation of an Islamic state.

The militant group has fed off the chaos and supercharged sectarian atmosphere of Syria's civil war to seize control of a large chunk of territory there. With its recent blitz across Iraq, it has expanded its gains while also effectively erasing the border between the two countries and laying the groundwork of its proto-state.

The group this week unilaterally declared the establishment of an Islamic state governed by Shariah law and demanded that all Muslims pledge allegiance to it.

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Who are the Islamic State?

The Islamic State of Iraq and Syria, now calling themselves simply the Islamic State, are an al-Qaida breakaway group.

- Extremists have long dreamed of recreating the Islamic state, or caliphate, that ruled over the Middle East and beyond in various forms over Islam's history.
- But ISIS has managed to do what al-Qaida never has — carve out a large swath of territory in the heart of the Arab world and control it.

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This is Verruckt



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Behold Verruckt, opening this summer in Kansas City and verified by Guinness as the world's tallest waterslide. After hiking more than 250 steps to the top, riders are strapped in a four-person raft and sent down an early vertical 168-foot drop, because lesser waterslides are for babies.

Obviously, hydrothrillseekers are eager to see what it's capable of, so a park designer and ride engineer rigged a few POV cameras and took it for a spin.

If you're wondering what incredible phrase the Germans managed to squeeze into "verrukt," it just means insane — which is disappointing. (SDG/YouTube)



ISTOCK

Get ready to be hypnotized by funky brass ensemble

Halifax Jazz Fest.

Hypnotic Brass Ensemble to take the stage with special guest Mos Def



BACKSTAGE PASS

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The “family band” has long carried with it a hokey factor.

But when the family is less two-stepping, multi-coloured-bus-driving and more funk royalty, saying you grew up in a musical family takes on a whole new meaning.

Gabriel “Hudah” Hubert is one of eight sons of the legendary jazz musician Phil Cochran, best known for his trumpet contributions and formation of the Artistic Heritage Ensemble, which fed the horn section for Earth, Wind and Fire.

“We enjoy taking on our father’s music, which is ‘now’ music, which is ‘cosmic’ music,” said Hudah. “We are just opening up people’s minds and making it all-encompassing of the surroundings in which we create.”

Taking to the main stage Saturday night during this year’s Halifax Jazz Festival, the band of brother’s — known as Hypnotic Brass Ensemble — have been taking their unique sound around the world since 1999.

The music they create remains on the edge of a variety of genres. In fact, the brothers pride themselves on purposely



Hypnotic Brass Ensemble is performing this weekend at the Halifax Jazz Festival. CONTRIBUTED

remaining outside of the typical club scene — a tactic that gave them the opportunity to share their sound with a collection of audiences.

To this day, their fan base remains as unique as their music.

“There are people aged 90 that listen to our music and three-, four- and five-year-olds that love it. If we are inside a club then only those people can experience our music,” said Hudah.

The group, who will play with hip-hop rapper Yasiin Bey

Moving to their own beat

“We wanted to do something different. As a forward-thinking person you don’t want to move in the same direction as other people.”

Gabriel “Hudah” Hubert, Hypnotic Brass Ensemble

(better known as Mos Def), has collaborated with a litany of big-name artists including Prince, Wu Tang Clan, De La Soul, Gorillaz and B52s, to name a few.

For the brothers, their music is more about what

is created by the spirit and enjoyed with the heart.

“You hear the music, you watch the movement and you know the family story. It’s intriguing. It draws you in. It’s something natural, not something you can put in words.”

Catch them live

- **What:** Hypnotic Brass Ensemble, featuring Yasiin Bey (aka Mos Def)
- **Where:** Halifax Jazz Festival
- **When:** Saturday, 8 p.m.
- **Tickets:** halifaxjazzfestival.ca

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Shia LaBeouf ALL PHOTOS GETTY IMAGES

They tried to make Shia go to rehab, he said no, no, no (but did seek help)

A publicist says Shia LaBeouf is being treated for alcoholism. Melissa Kates said Tuesday the 28-year-old actor has not checked into a rehab facility, but is receiving voluntary treatment for alcohol addiction. Kates said in a statement that LaBeouf's recent actions — which include an arrest for disrupting a Broadway play — are symptoms of a larger health problem. She said he has taken

the first of many necessary steps toward recovery. LaBeouf was charged with disorderly conduct, criminal trespass and harassment during a production of Cabaret last week. The actor was arrested for drunken driving in 2008 after he crashed his pickup truck, injuring his hand and knee. LaBeouf is best known for appearing in the first three Transformers films. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

Jewel follows her Intuition, splits with hubby after 16-year relationship

Singer Jewel and her husband are divorcing after a 16-year relationship. The 40-year-old writes in a letter posted on her website that she and Ty Murray want their separation "to be nothing less loving than the way we came together." A representative for the singer confirmed the news Wednesday. Jewel and Murray were married in 2008. They have a son named Kase. Jewel says she decided to write the post — called Dear World — to inform her fans before the news broke in the tabloids. Her hits include



Jewel

You Were Meant for Me, Foolish Games and Intuition. Her 1995 debut album, Pieces of You, has sold more than 12 million units in the United States. **THE ASSOCIATED PRESS**

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The Word



It's hard to Get Her Back when she won't listen to the album

MELINDA TAUB
Metro in New York City

I know I'm not the only one who thinks Get Her Back is kind of gross. I appreciate that Robin Thicke misses his ex-wife Paula Patton, but dude — making a video of a Paula look-alike drowning in a skull mask before flashing the words "This is just the beginning," is unlikely to get you anything but a restraining order.

Luckily, there's one person who hasn't experienced the full weight of Robin Thicke's creepy take

on romance: Paula Patton herself, who hasn't listened to the album. "I don't think she wants to hear it right now," Robin told Hot 97. "I can't speak for her, but I think space is an important part of any healing process."

Kudos to Paula. I imagine there's not much that would hurt Robin Thicke more than refusing to listen to him croon about you.

Paula is making sure that their healing process is spacious indeed. In addition to refusing to listen to his music, she and Robin haven't seen each other in four months. That must take some work, since they share a four-year-old son. Maybe they pass him back and forth wearing blindfolds — and, for Paula, earplugs, in case of any crooning sneak attacks.



Cameron Diaz

It may not be a real sex tape, but Cameron Diaz still bares all in it

Cameron Diaz does something she's never done before in her upcoming movie Sex Tape. She gets naked on camera. It's a first for the 41-year-old actress, who described the experience to Esquire magazine as "just a part of the role." She says her co-star Jason Segel also gets nude onscreen.

In Sex Tape, Diaz and

Segel play a bored married couple who decide to spice things up by filming a sex tape. After it's accidentally leaked, they try to get it back. She also has a labour scene in the film. Diaz has been open about not wanting children in real life, saying she never really wanted to be a mother.

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Nicole Scherzinger talks about battle with bulimia

In the new issue of British Cosmopolitan magazine, singer and former Pussycat Dolls member Nicole Scherzinger opens up about her secret struggle with bulimia. "It is such a horrible paralyzing disease and it was such a dark time for me ... It robs you of living your life," she tells the magazine.

Scherzinger hopes that sharing her story will serve as an inspiration for other people who are struggling with an eating disorder. "You can recover and you can get rid of it forever," she says. "I did it and



Nicole Scherzinger

that's why it's so important for me to share my story."

She says that she developed the eating disorder when she was in her early 20s. **METRO**

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3 braids to beat the heat

City humidity and heat doesn't mean you have to spend summer in ponytails and messy buns. DreamDry senior stylist Faith Huffnagle shares with us three beautiful braided styles that not only look awesome, but keep you cool.

Bonus: All three styles are easier to do when your hair is a little dirty, so go ahead and hit snooze.

EMILY LAURENCE
Metro World News



For the beginner braider: The Fishtail

This fishtail braid looks elaborate, but it seriously only takes five minutes to do. Part your hair and divide it into two sections. Huffnagle recommends a side part so your braid will land over your shoulder. Take a small part of the outer section of one of the two sections you divided your hair into and cross it over, adding it to the inside of the other hair section. Then, do the exact same thing with the other side. Keep your braid tight or it will fall out later. When you're done, secure the end with an elastic and pin in any fly-aways. Pro tip: "The smaller the sections are that you pull from the two bigger sections, the more bone-like and delicate the braid will look," Huffnagle says.

For the intermediate braider: The Juliette

The Juliette is perfect if you are going out to drinks with friends or on a date. Start by sectioning the top third part of your hair and dividing it into three sections. Start a regular braid, but after the first pull, drop one of the section parts and weave a new section part in with the other two section parts. You will be adding to the two original sections all the way around your head, dropping one section with each pull, creating the cascading waterfall look. "If a layer ends, just connect it to another piece of hair in the back and continue from there," Huffnagle advises.

Use a curling wand to create the soft waves. "To really highlight the waterfall, curl the small sections cascading from your horizontal braid," Huffnagle says.



For the expert braider: The Bianca

This crown braid has a bohemian music festival look to it that makes it perfect for summer. Start by grabbing a four-inch section of hair behind your ear. Then, divide that section in to three equal parts, like you would to start a normal braid. What makes this outside braid different from a normal braid is that you are constantly moving the centre piece, pulling it over both ways. The front piece ends up joining the back piece, very similarly to a French braid. Keep going around your head by pulling more hair from the top all the way around. As you braid, make sure it's tight; you can pull it apart a little at the end to loosen it up. Once you get all the way around your head, finish braiding any extra hair, secure it with an elastic and pin it behind your ear or in the back. Pull the braid apart a bit to make it look more relaxed.

Keeping your hair summer safe

- For protection during the sizzling summer months, try **Live Clean Monoi Oil Leave-in Treatment**. A blend of rich coconut oil infused with Tahiti's native Tiare flower. Strengthening hair before damage begins, this product tackles the many problems summer throws at your hair — moisture loss, frizz and environmental damage. live-clean.com



Canadian street style

Spotted in: San Juan del Sur, NI

Name: Bonnie

Age: 21

Occupation: OCAD student

What she's wearing:

BDG shoes, skirt from Black Market, Aritzia shirt, Brandy Melville sweater and purse

from Value Village.

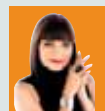
Her inspiration:

"I am inspired by Japanese street culture... and I really love the Spice Girls (specifically Baby Spice and Ginger Spice ... I love platforms and still wear them.)

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Lasso summer with rope accents

We usually think of natural rope as utilitarian, used to tie down furnishings on moving day or keep parcels tightly sealed. But its rough-hewn texture offers an excellent way to add a relaxed eco-look to interiors. Available in many colours and thicknesses, rope is fantastic for DIY projects. Not so handy? Here are some products (and inspiration) that tie the knot in style.



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Get your napkins in a twist

Set sail for elegant dining. Braided Nautical Rope Napkin Ring, \$4.70, BedBathAndBeyond.ca



Lash your mirror to the wall

Simple wood-framed mirror gets a casual lift from its chunky rope and decorative knobs. Emilio Wall Mirror, \$360, CrateAndBarrel.com

Jute as much as you can handle

Stylist Sibella Court's sleek iron handle gets wrapped in natural jute rope for humble nautical flair. Fixed Rope Handle, \$12, Anthropologie.com



Pendant lamp shows you the ropes

Rope, wood and glass make for an eco-stylish light fixture. Mango Large Hanging Pendant, \$232, VdeVmaison.com

Lay your cords on the table

Mix with blue and white for a nautical inspired luncheon or with silver and gold for an elegant dinner. Vera Wang's Vera Infinity, five-piece place setting, \$155, TheBay.com



Send the ants in your pantry packing

Indoor invaders.

Keep your house from turning into an ant farm with advice from pest control experts

Opening a bag of sugar to find ants crawling about is an experience no one wants to have, yet ants are a common pest many householders battle annually.

Jennifer Murphy, a Victoria resident, had just moved into her new home when she started to think there might be a pest problem. First she found ants in a large bag of sugar, and then while her husband was chopping vegetables he was bitten by an ant, and the pain was so intense he cut himself.

"We were annoyed," says Murphy. "But we knew that because we live in a warm climate, bugs were bound to come around. We had just moved in so we needed to figure out where they were coming from."

The potential entry point and cause of what Murphy believes was a carpenter ant problem was a disconnected dryer vent and a woodpile stacked against the outside wall of the house.

"We moved the woodpile



Ants can be a serious nuisance as they forage for food in cupboards and drawers. ISTOCK

away from the house and connected the vent," she says. "We squished all the ones we found in the house, and that seemed to get rid of them pretty quick."

Ants like moisture

Kurtis Brown, technical supervisor at Victoria Pest Control, says the nesting structure of carpenter and odorous house ants, the two most common types, means there is only so much people can do to avoid a problem.

"Many ants are seeking moisture. Making sure our homes are in good repair, where we fix leaks and we

aren't piling soil over our foundations and on to our siding," says Brown.

Aphids attract ants

To deter ants, avoid planting anything in the garden that will attract aphids. Brown says ants are aphid farmers and will move them from around plants to feed on their droppings.

"If you are going to plant something that are prone to aphids, it's important to make sure the aphid population doesn't get out of control," he says. "The relationship between ants and aphids is important, and it is important to avoid

planting vegetation right next to our houses where aphids and ants can be found."

Satellite colonies

Carpenter and odorous house ants are particularly problematic because of the way they develop their nests and colonies. Brown says carpenter ants, which have one queen, develop satellite colonies where they move larva, which is what is normally found in a home.

"It's a nest, but there is just no queen," says Brown. "That is where the problem lies with carpenter ant control. You're not only dealing with the ants

Ants' colonial power

- People who live in areas with a large odorous ant colony often have a recurring problem.
- "It's really tough to stop odorous house ants," Brown says. "They have the widest nest site tolerance out of all the native ant species, so they can nest almost anywhere. I've found nests in toilet lids, in kitchen cupboards, typical spots like crawl spaces and

attics, even in a radio. That is what really adds in, what makes them so successful."

- When dealing with a persistent ant problem, Brown advises avoiding pesticides as they aren't very effective. If a homeowner suspects carpenter ants have taken up residence he recommends contacting a pest expert. Baiting through ant traps can be successful for odorous house ants.

in the house, but also the constant threat of a parent colony re-establishing a satellite colony in the house. They essentially become a problem because they walk up to the house and walk into it. They walk under the siding, or a power line or up the siding on the outside."

If left unchecked, carpenter ants can eventually cause severe structural problems to load-bearing beams and other parts of the home.

Odorous ants

Like carpenter ants, it is the nesting structure of the odorous house ant that makes them

a concern for homeowners.

"They have a multiple queen and multiple nest site structure," says Brown. "There can be anywhere from one nest with one queen to a colony taking over 60 hectares and one million workers."

While odorous house ants don't cause any physical damage to the home, Brown says they can be a serious nuisance as they forage for food in cupboards and drawers. As their name suggests, odorous ants can also stink. They release a pheromone that smells similar to rancid butter or rotten coconuts. **THE CANADIAN PRESS**

Subtract fish, add mussels and apples for new take on 'fish' cakes

Mussel Potato Cakes with Apple Chutney.

This dish combines unlikely flavours for a delightful combination

"Fish cakes are a staple in the Maritime provinces. Traditionally they were made with salt cod, but now that cod stocks have been depleted, other fish are used," write Alain Bossé and Linda Duncan in their book *Mussels*. "In this recipe, we've replaced the fish with mussels and green tomato chow commonly served with fish cakes with apple chutney."

Apple Chutney

1. Core and dice the apples.

2. In a frying pan, melt the butter over medium heat and add the apple pieces. Bring to a boil, and stir in the brown sugar and cinnamon. Reduce the heat and simmer until the apples are tender, stirring occasionally. Can be served hot or cold.

Mussel Potato Cakes

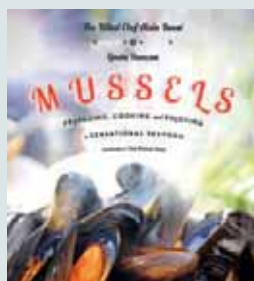
1. Rinse the mussels under running fresh water. Throw away any that do not close.

2. In a large pot, add the apple juice and mussels. Cover with a lid and cook on high for approximately 5 to 6 minutes or until steam is pouring out from under the lid.

3. Let the mussels cool. Remove the mussel meat from the shells and put it in a covered bowl or dish. Reserve half

Cookbook of the Week

Mussel your way through the kitchen



Alain Bossé and Linda Duncan combine their love for mussels in their aptly titled book *Mussels: Preparing, Cooking and Enjoying a Sensational Seafood*.

The release features 77 recipes that range from expected dishes such as apps, salads and mains, to pies and cocktails. Enjoy recipes such as Cajun Mussel Soup, Mussels Carbonara, Coconut and Panko Mussels, Mussel Mac and Cheese, Halibut with Mussel Cream and more. **METRO**

a cup (125 ml) of the broth.

4. Place the onions and mussel broth in a sauté pan and bring to a boil. Reduce the heat to a simmer and cook until the onions are soft and the liquid is reduced by half.

5. Place mashed potatoes, onions, broth, parsley, summer



This recipe serves four. PERRY JACKSON FROM MUSSELS (WHITECAP BOOKS)

savory, eggs and mussel meat in a large bowl. Gently mix by hand. Form into 3 oz (100 g) cakes; coat lightly with flour.

6. Fry the mussel cakes in butter over medium heat until crisp and golden brown on both sides. **RECIPES FROM MUSSELS (WHITECAP BOOKS) BY ALAIN BOSSÉ AND LINDA DUNCAN**

Ingredients

Apple Chutney

- 2 medium apples
- 1 1/2 tbsp (22.5 ml) butter
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) packed brown sugar
- 1/4 tsp (1 ml) cinnamon

Mussel Potato Cakes

- 2 lb (1 kg) mussels
- 1/2 cup (125 ml) apple juice
- 1 large onion, chopped
- 3 cups (750 ml) cooked mashed potatoes
- 2 tbsp (30 ml) chopped fresh

- parsley
- 1 1/2 tbsp (22.5 ml) summer savory
- 2 eggs, beaten
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) flour
- 2 tbsp (30 ml) butter



This recipe serves two. PERRY JACKSON FROM MUSSELS (WHITECAP BOOKS)

App. Root Beer Mussels

"This fun recipe is very simple and will definitely bring out the child in you. It might be a neat way to get the kids to try a new food," write Alain Bossé and Linda Duncan in their book *Mussels*.

1. Rinse the mussels under running fresh water. Throw away any that do not close.

2. In a large pot, add the mus-

sels, root beer and shallots. Cover with a lid and cook on high for approximately 5 to 6 minutes or until steam is pouring out from under the lid.

3. Spoon the mussels in a large bowl to serve family-style and pour the broth over-top.

4. Serve with crusty bread and potato chips.

Ingredients

- 2 lb (1 kg) mussels
- 1/2 cup (125 ml) root beer
- 1/4 cup (60 ml) minced shallots

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From Harvest to Heat (iPad; free)

This journey between farm and kitchen links a dozen recipes with stories of American artisans and



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farmers, adding country flavour to roasted trout, tomato galette, and lobster Mac and Cheese.



Blue Cheese Tartine

Named after a military road, Dayles Farm, Jasper Hills blue cheese, is a rare wild blue with a flavor of morello, and, in some varieties, hints of lemon. A tartine is just a fancy French name for an open-faced sandwich. This one's just fancy, but it is incredible, thanks to the sweetness of honey, the smoky crunch of bacon, and the creamy tang of the blue cheese.

Hadwin stoked to be back and playing on home soil

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Canadian one of the favourites at Nova Scotia Open

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From California to Colombia, golf professionals from the Web.com Tour have gotten around.

But this week's Nova Scotia Open marks the PGA development tour's only stop north of the border, and Canadian contenders such as Adam Hadwin are stoked to be teeing off on home soil.

"We play a bunch of events down in South America. My Spanish isn't very good, so I like coming back up to Canada," fan favourite Hadwin of Abbotsford, B.C., joked Wednesday.

"The fans up in Canada are very golf hungry," he added, after running a short skills clinic at Ashburn Golf Club's old course in Halifax, alongside local pro Eric Banks of Truro as part of this week's GOLFest Nova Scotia.

"It's a bit of a shorter season out here, way out east,



Canadian golfer Adam Hadwin during Wednesday's pro-am at the new Ashburn Golf Club in Windsor Junction.

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but I know that everybody gets out and plays as much as they can."

Hadwin is one of 156 golfers playing at Ashburn Golf Club's new course in Windsor Junction for the four-day Nova Scotia Open. Round 1 starts Thursday with the 72-

hole event scheduled to go until Sunday.

Hadwin is a rising star on the Web.com Tour. He won his first-ever tour event in March at the Chile Classic, and is in good position to earn his PGA Tour card. He sits No. 6 in the tour money

list with over \$201,000 in earnings.

The top 25 players on the money list at the end of the season get their PGA Tour card for 2015.

He and Banks, who is also playing this week, drew fans young and old alike after

Quoted

"This event, I think it's going to draw a big crowd." Adam Hadwin

showing off their swings Wednesday evening in Halifax.

That included 13-year-old Seamus Stears and 11-year-old William Nickerson, who played a round themselves before getting autographs from the pros.

"It's just cool to see, especially Adam Hadwin.... teach you about golf," Nickerson said.

Hadwin said the greens on Ashburn's new course will "pose a very difficult test" for Nova Scotia Open players.

"If we do get some rain, it'll soften it up, maybe make it slightly easier."

In typical Canadian fashion, there could be more than a little rain later this week, with Environment Canada forecasts showing Tropical Storm Arthur moving towards Atlantic Canada, potentially developing into a hurricane.

"We don't like playing in the rain; we're divas like that some times," Hadwin said with a chuckle. "(But) it's just part of the job."



Former PGA Tour golfer Billy Mayfair GREGORY SHAMUS/GETTY IMAGES

Web.com Tour welcomes some familiar names

It may be considered a step below the popular PGA Tour, but this week's Nova Scotia Open at Ashburn Golf Club in Windsor Junction features plenty of familiar faces and rising stars from across the golf world.

As the only Canadian stop on the Web.com Tour, a development event for pros just under PGA level, fans will have the chance to see big names like 2003 PGA Champion win-

ner Shaun Micheel, along with former PGA Tour regulars such as Todd Hamilton, Skip Kendall, Billy Mayfair and D.J. Trahan on the greens.

Also teeing off at the Nova Scotia Open are Canadian pros such as Stuart Anderson of Strathmore, Alta., Eric Banks of Truro, Peter Campbell of Baddeck, Adam Chamberlain of Bathurst, N.B., Adam Hadwin of Abbotsford, B.C., Michael Gligic of Kitchener, Ont.,

and Adam Svensson of Surrey, B.C.

The 72-hole Nova Scotia Open starts on Thursday and runs through Sunday. It includes four of the Web.com Tour's top-10 money leaders.

The tournament carries a winning purse of \$650,000 and is part of this week's GOLFest Nova Scotia.

The first groups tee off on Thursday and Friday at 7 a.m.

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By the numbers

- Players in the field: 156
- Oldest player: 49
- Youngest player: 19
- Web.com Tour winners: 40
- Countries represented: 13
- PGA Tour winners: 11

QMJHL

Mooseheads opt out of import draft

The Herd took a pass on the CHL Import Draft.

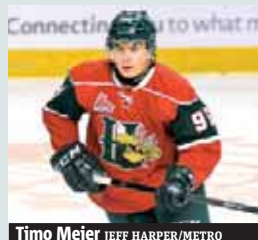
The Halifax Mooseheads announced Wednesday they chose not to use their 50th overall selection.

They opted instead to keep forwards Nikolaj Ehlers of Aalborg, Denmark,

and Timo Meier of Herisau, Switzerland, as the two imports allowed on their roster for the 2014-15 season.

Ehlers, 18, was recently selected ninth overall by the Winnipeg Jets at the 2014 NHL Draft, after collecting 104 points as a Quebec Major Junior Hockey League rookie.

Meier, 17, also had a solid first season with the Mooseheads, contributing 17 goals



Timo Meier JEFF HARPER/METRO

and 17 assists in 66 games played. METRO

NHL

MacDonald signs one-year deal with Habs organization

Joey MacDonald will play professional hockey in North America for at least one more year.

On Tuesday the 34-year-old Pictou native signed a one-year, two-way contract

with the Montreal Canadiens organization. MacDonald is expected to play with the Canadiens' AHL affiliate, the Hamilton Bulldogs, as Carey Price and Dustin Tokarski are currently slated to hold the two spots with the NHL club.

MacDonald played 11 games with the Calgary Flames and 16 with their affiliate club, the Abbotsford Heat last season.

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Bouchard, Raonic extend Canada Day

Wimbledon. Emerging young singles setting new standards for Canadian excellence

First there was Canada's Davis Cup semifinal appearance last fall. Next came Eugenie Bouchard's trip to the final four at the Australian Open early this year.

Now Bouchard is getting ready to play in her third straight Grand Slam semifinal at Wimbledon and this time she will be joined there by fellow Canadian Milos Raonic. It's the most significant achievement yet in the country's rise as a tennis power as no two Canadians have ever advanced this far at one major.

"I'm sure that the outbreak and the response back home is of much more magnitude than anything else that's happened or that's resonated," Raonic said Wednesday after defeating Australian wild card Nick Kyrgios 6-7 (4), 6-2, 6-4, 7-6 (4) to advance to his first career Grand Slam semifinal.

"I think not only (Bouchard) in the last two Slams, but us doing it at the same time here is bigger than anything we've done in Davis Cup, anything



Canada's Milos Raonic celebrates after beating Nick Kyrgios of Australia on Wednesday at Wimbledon.

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we've done at Fed Cup. It has a bigger audience, a bigger meaning, a bigger recognition."

Bouchard advanced to her third straight major semifinal by defeating Germany's Angelique Kerber 6-3, 6-4. The result is expected to move her

into eighth on the WTA rankings list Monday, equalling the Canadian-best ranking held by Carling Bassett-Seguso.

"I'm excited to be in the semis. But, of course, I'm never satisfied, so I definitely want to go a step further, or as far as I can," Bouchard said.

Both have their work cut out for them in the semifinals.

Raonic has not beaten his semifinal opponent, seven-time Wimbledon champion Roger Federer, in four career matches. Bouchard has less history with her opponent, Romania's Simona Halep.

The Romanian won their

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only meeting, on hardcourt at Indian Wells last March. But fourth-ranked Halep, like Bouchard, is a rising star.

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Brazilian striker Neymar injured his right knee against Chile but team doctors said he will be fit to play Friday against Colombia. TASSO MARCELO/AFP/GETTY IMAGES

World Cup. Colombians sure to push Brazil to limit

Brazil and Colombia enter the World Cup quarter-finals with totally different mindsets.

Brazil is surrounded by doubts after a more difficult start than expected to the tournament it is hosting. Colombia is upbeat after convincing performances and four straight wins.

While the hosts narrowly beat Chile in a penalty shootout to avoid elimination in the second round, the Colombians had a convincing 2-0 win over Uruguay to reach the quarter-finals for the first time.

The South American rivals play Friday in the northeastern city of Fortaleza, with Brazil hoping to keep alive its quest for a sixth World Cup title and Colombia aiming to extend its best-ever run in football's showcase event.

Despite its tradition and home-field advantage, Brazil is far from a big favourite.

"It's normal to have people demanding that we play better," Brazil coach Luiz Felipe Scolari said. "But it's also normal what we have been seeing in this World Cup so far. There were a lot of even matches."

Colombia has won all of its matches without any real difficulty, thanks in part to the

Happy James



"We're very happy because we are making history. We want to do even more because this is a team that really wants to win."

Colombia midfielder James Rodriguez, who leads the World Cup with five goals

tournament's second-best attack with 11 goals. It also has a strong defence with only two goals conceded. Brazil, meanwhile, has scored eight goals and conceded three.

Colombia has beaten Brazil only twice — the last time in the 1991 Copa America — but the teams have drawn the last four matches they played, including in a 2012 friendly in New York. THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

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NHL free agency

Canucks sign 20-goal man Vrbata to two-year deal

The Vancouver Canucks signed right-winger Radim Vrbata to a two-year deal Wednesday.

The 33-year-old scored 20 goals and had 31 assists last season for the Coyotes.

Vrbata, a six-foot-one, 171-pounder from the Czech Republic, has 215 goals and 249 assists in 12 seasons with Colorado, Carolina, Chicago, Tampa Bay and Arizona.

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Right-winger Radim Vrbata joined the Canucks on Wednesday. GETTY IMAGES

NHL free agency

Preds signs Jokinen to one-year deal

The Nashville Predators signed centre Olli Jokinen on Wednesday in their latest attempt to boost an offence that has lacked punch.

The 35-year-old Jokinen had 18 goals and 25 assists in 82 games last season for the Winnipeg Jets. He signed a one-year deal worth \$2.5 million.

The Predators ranked 19th in the league with 2.61 goals per game last season.

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Sao Paulo police use force

Cops turn stun grenades on fans

Police in Sao Paulo say they used stun grenades and tear gas to disperse thousands of fans celebrating Argentina's 1-0 World Cup win over Switzerland.

A Sao Paulo police department press officer says the partying by close to 3,000 people began Tuesday afternoon and only ended early Wednesday morning, "when we were called in to disperse the crowd that had gotten too rowdy."

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NBA free agency

Bradley signs four-year pact with Celts

Avery Bradley has agreed to a \$32 million, four-year deal to remain with the Boston Celtics.

Agent Mitchell Butler confirms the deal Wednesday for Bradley, the No. 19 pick in the 2010 draft.

Bradley averaged a career-best 14.9 points in 60 games last season as the starting point guard while Rajon Rondo was recovering from a torn knee ligament.

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NBA free agency

Hayward lands in lovely Cleveland

Gordon Hayward once named Cleveland his least favourite NBA city. He might have to change his mind.

Utah's restricted free agent small forward has scheduled a meeting with the Cavaliers, who have turned their sights to improving their roster after getting all-star point guard Kyrie Irving to agree to a contract extension.

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Edwin Encarnacion celebrates his walk-off three-run homer against the Milwaukee Brewers at the Rogers Centre Wednesday. ANDREW FRANCIS WALLACE/THE CANADIAN PRESS

Encarnacion hits 9th-inning homer to give Jays victory

Big hit. Encarnacion tied for most home runs in American League this season

The Milwaukee Brewers could have intentionally walked Edwin Encarnacion to load the bases with two outs in the bottom of the ninth of a tie game.

Instead they decided to pitch to the Toronto slugger, and he ended the game in walk-off fashion.

Encarnacion turned on a 3-1 slider from Brandon Kintzler for a no-doubt three-run shot that gave the Blue Jays a 7-4 win over the Brewers on Wednesday afternoon.

"He hanged (it), I banged it," Encarnacion said.

The win gave Toronto (47-

39) a two-game mini-sweep of Milwaukee (51-35) and extended the Blue Jays' lead atop the American League East to 1-1/2 games over Baltimore. The Orioles were scheduled to play the Texas Rangers later Wednesday.

Encarnacion, who's now tied for the major-league lead with 26 homers, raised his arms in the air after finishing his swing. He dropped the bat, clapped his hands a few times and began to trot around the bases as the 24,286 fans at Rogers Centre roared in approval.

"For me it's the best moment you can have," Encarnacion said. "For any player to have a walk-off home run. So everybody (is) happy on the team and we're going to fly a five-hour happy flight today."

The Blue Jays will kick off

a 10-game road trip Thursday at Oakland.

Jose Reyes led off the ninth with a double and Melky Cabrera was intentionally walked. Anthony Gose tried to move both runners into scoring position, but Reyes was thrown out at third after the sacrifice bunt attempt.

Darin Mastroianni struck out before Encarnacion hit his third career walkoff homer.

"I should have just bounced a sinker and walked him or thrown the slider away off the plate," Kintzler said. "It definitely didn't go where I planned it."

Jose Bautista and Juan Francisco also homered for Toronto. Casey Janssen (3-0) worked one inning of relief for the win, and reliever Will Smith (1-1) shouldered the loss.

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Canadians FINISH THE SENTENCE

Play Taxi Media, the Canadian based media company with a national ridership of touch screens in taxicabs, asked more than 4,500 riders across the country to finish a series of questions and shares with Metro News their findings.

LOVE:



Thoughts on a riders relationship with their ex demonstrated a strong correlation between men and women feeling that they were much better off without their past lover. In terms of crushes, men and women scored "neck in neck" in noting that most currently do not have a crush but men did score higher when it came to admitting a current crush on a coworker.

LIFESTYLE:



When asked what most riders felt they should change about their current lifestyle, the percentage of men to women who felt they could be a better friend proved equal. The majority of women indicated that they are most keen on going back to school while the bulk of men noted that they felt they needed to slow down on partying. Life also "won't be complete" until the majority of women travel with their male counterparts wanting to finish with more money. Both sexes equally demonstrated the ultimate goal is to get married and start families.

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MLB

Wilson's one bad inning gives win to Indians

Called on to protect a one-run lead, Brian Wilson provided little relief.

Wilson surrendered three runs in the eighth inning as the Los Angeles Dodgers lost 5-4 to the Cleveland Indians on Wednesday.

Wilson (1-3) retired only one of the six batters he faced, giving up a tying RBI single by pinch-hitter David Murphy and a two-run single by No. 8 hitter Mike Aviles after an intentional walk to Lonnie Chisenhall.

"Brian's been throwing well. I don't know how many innings he's thrown before today without giving up a run, but it seemed like a while," outfielder Scott Van Slyke said. "When you make a mistake, it usually ends up biting you. Hopefully, that's out of the way and he can start a new streak."

Wilson had allowed one run in his previous 19 appearances, spanning 16-2/3 innings.

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Detroit sweeps Oakland. No All-Star Game for Verlander this year

Justin Verlander knows he isn't going to make a sixth straight All-Star team.

A few more performances like the one Wednesday might mean he's heading in the right direction, however.

Verlander overcame a pair of long home runs in the first inning and left with a comfortable lead after the sixth as the Detroit Tigers beat the Oakland Athletics 9-3 for a three-game sweep.

Verlander (7-7) started the day looking like the pitcher who has been searching for his mechanics for most of the season. Coco Crisp began the game with a shot over the access tunnel down the right-field line, and Brandon Moss went even deeper into the right-field stands with two out.

That, though, was the last time the A's scored off the pitcher who has dominated them in each of the last two post-seasons. Verlander wasn't sharp, allowing nine hits, but he didn't walk a batter.

"I didn't make a big adjustment, I just got more into my rhythm," he said. "My change-up wasn't good, but I was able to throw my slider to lefties, where usually that's just fast-



Justin Verlander on Wednesday in Detroit. DUANE BURLESON/GETTY IMAGES

ball and curve."

With a .500 record and a 4.71 ERA, even Verlander's years of dominance aren't going to get him to Minnesota later this month for the All-Star festivities.

"I'm not going this year — I can pretty much guarantee that," he said. "I didn't have a good first half, and I know that."

"It's going to be the first time I get that weekend off in a while. It will be nice to get that time where I don't have to tax my arm."

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Horoscopes

♈ Aries

March 21 - April 20

Don't worry too much about details today. Instead, focus on the bigger picture. That applies as much to your personal life as it does to your work. Don't let loved ones pin you down to plans that stifle your creativity.

♉ Taurus

April 21 - May 21

There is no need to be quite so competitive. The planets indicate if you relax, the rewards will be greater than you imagined. And, you won't have wasted time and your energy on senseless rivalries.

♊ Gemini

May 22 - June 21

With Venus moving through your birth sign, you seem to be more mellow than usual and that's good. It's also necessary as something is about to occur that will take you by surprise.

♋ Cancer

June 22 - July 23

Don't expect everything to go according to plan today. It may be that a colleague is jealous of your success and will say things that are designed to undermine you. Don't take them seriously.

♌ Leo

July 24 - Aug. 23

Over the next 24 hours something will make you want to let the world know what a passionate human being you can be. The only danger is you will come on too strong and frighten special someone away.

♍ Virgo

Aug. 24 - Sept. 23

Put chores out of your mind and focus on what makes you feel good about yourself. Think of dreams you had and plans you made and give yourself credit for coming this far.

♎ Libra

Sept. 24 - Oct. 23

Travel and social plans may be disrupted today, so try not to make promises you won't be able to keep. There is no point trying to look too far ahead.

♏ Scorpio

Oct. 24 - Nov. 22

What happens today will bring a chance to make much-needed cash but you are going to have to be less conservative in your money-making ventures. You don't have to gamble but be open to alternative possibilities.

♐ Sagittarius

Nov. 23 - Dec. 21

Break a few rules today. The planets are urging you to do something that stirs things up a bit in your quiet little corner of the world. Rock the boat and see who falls out.

♑ Capricorn

Dec. 22 - Jan. 20

As Venus, planet of harmony, is moving through the area of your chart that governs your wellbeing, take things easy today. That's easy by Capricorn standards — people will still get exhausted just watching you.

♒ Aquarius

Jan. 21 - Feb. 19

Your passion for a creative project knows no bounds. There is, however, a danger that you could lose touch with reality and allow it to become all-consuming. Don't forget to come up for air, occasionally.

♓ Pisces

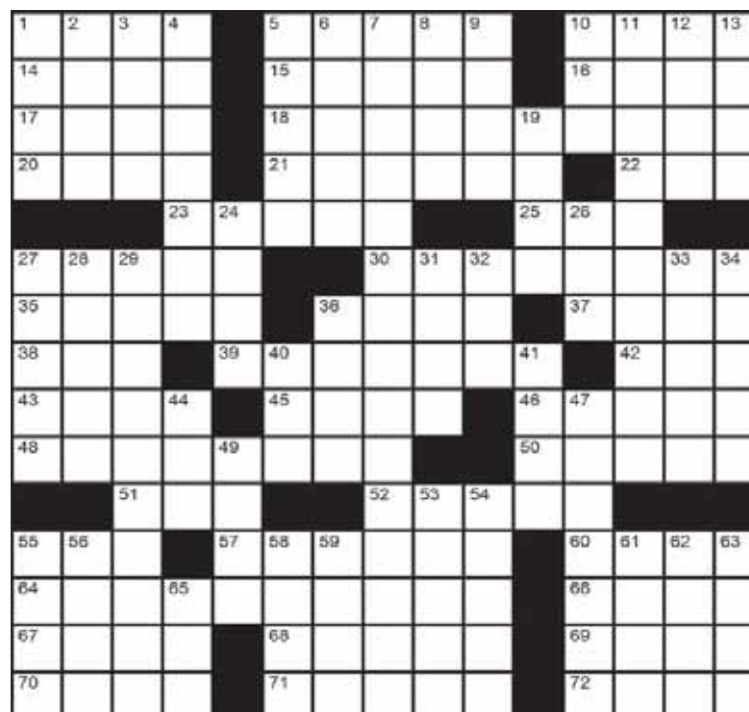
Feb. 20 - March 20

Feelings you have been keeping hidden will burst out for the world to see today and, yes, it will be embarrassing. But better to be embarrassed than to go on pretending you don't care. You always care. **SALLY BROMPTON**

Crossword: Canada Across and Down

Across

1. The Four ____ (Canadian singing quartet)
5. Gawky
10. Pinnacle
14. Division
15. Curved
16. "The Maple Leaf Forever" composer: Alexander ____ (b.1830 - d.1906)
17. And, e.g.
18. GGFG = Governor General's ____
20. "On the Loose" is by which Canadian rock band?
21. One who evades
22. Fragment
23. Soil fertilizers
25. Sad ER declaration
27. Streetside 'steeping' spots
30. Casey or Finnegan, e.g.: 2 wds.
35. Provide cheer more. "Bye!"
37. Fight
38. ____ Tin Tin
39. Crop ____ (Designs in the wheatfields)
42. French season
43. Requests
45. 1990s kind of party
46. Actress Amy
48. "The Fault in Our Stars" (2014) star Ms. Woodley
50. Bothers
51. Nero's 511
52. Excavation extraction
55. Dined



57. Paltry
60. Canadian songstress, Shakura S' ____
64. Gen-Xer's kid, perhaps
66. "Canadian ____"
67. Great Lake
68. ____ (\$1,000)
69. Film holder
70. Crew ____ top
71. Celine's hubby,

- and namesakes
72. Simple

Down

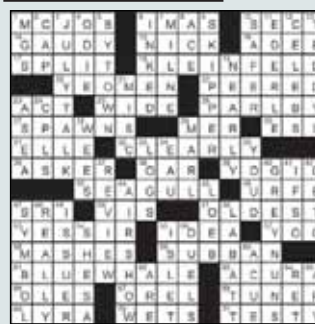
1. Montreal-born hockey great Mr. Robitaille's
2. Kind of buffalo
3. ____-dong! (Doorbell sound)
4. ____ Village (Win-

- nipeg neighbour-hood)
5. More secure
6. Web forum annoy-er
7. When a musician 'unplugs' he/she is doing a what of their song?: 2 wds.
8. Like a brought-back-to-the-store item

- [abbr.]
9. The ____ (U2 guitarist)
10. Li'l music trophy
11. House's exterior as landscaping, etc. in real estate: 2 wds.
12. 'Noon' in Nice
13. In the past, in verse
19. Language of

- Pakistan
24. "Hey! Hold on ____!"
26. Ancient Rome: Harvest goddess
27. Org. that handles the Juno Awards
28. "Witness" (1985) folk
29. "One Nation Under a Groove" band
31. Low-lying area
32. 'P' in literary monogram EAP
33. Celebrated currants-created Cake communication: 2 wds.
34. Hair lock
36. Ocean Spray flavour, ____-Raspberry
40. Anger
41. Wrapped garment
44. VI
47. Veronic ____ (Canadian impersonator whose repertoire includes Adele and Lady Gaga)
49. Citrus fruit
53. Uplift
54. Mr. Lovett's
55. Church word!
56. Canadian ____ 'Money'
58. Bldg. planner
59. Canadian chef Ms. Yarmowich
61. Brain wave
62. John and Jane
63. Friendly nation
65. Currency in Albania

Yesterday's Crossword



Sudoku

How to play

Fill in the grid, so that every row, every column and every 3x3 box contains the digits 1-9. There is no math involved.

Yesterday's Sudoku

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